# Millinery Sale To-Day

Six hundred trimmed Hats -all new stylish goods-to be sold at exceptionally low prices. Here are a few:

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Take your choice from this lot. You cannot possibly make any mistake, for the regular milliner's price on them means quite a little more.

Untrimmed Wool) Felt Hats, in all each. shades,

High crown sailor felt Hats for 39c each.

Much to tell about our Millinery Department, but numerous words cannot do what a mere glance would from yourself. Our styles are not only exclusive and exceptionally fine, but there's more to pick from-and asto Hats and Bonnets to order—well, most everybody knows we excel.

#### PETTIS DRY GOODS CO.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. Henry Atterbury, of St. Louis, will come next week to visit Mrs. W. H. Cole-Mrs. L. C. Boyd, of Gas City, is visiting Mrs. J. F. Edgington, on North Illinois

Miss Hazel Dietz will give a small and informal party this evening to a few

Mrs. Brown, of California, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. May Wright Sewall, on North Pennsylvania street. Governor Matthews will leave, to-day, for Maysville, Ky., to spend a week with rela-

tives and acquaintances. The Alpha Club will meet this evening with Mrs. R. M. Mueller, at her home, No. 182 West Vermont street. Miss Lydia Herron will entertain a few friends this evening in honor of Miss Mari-

an Heinly, of Danville, Ill. Mr. Willard Platt, of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his brother, Mr. Joseph Platt, at No. 91 West Vermont street. Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Bruner, of Rockford, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Bruner, on North New Jersey

Miss Winifred Cain, of Anderson, will be the guest of Miss Mary M. Roberts next at the home on North Alabama

Mrs. Emil Keller and son, of Logansport, are spending a few days with Mrs. Herbert Hadley, at her home, No. 30 West St. Jo-

The marriage of Miss Hattle Borden and Mr. Van Dallie Dawson will take place next Wednesday evening at the country home of the bride, north of the city. Rev. James E. Gilbert, who has been in the East several weeks, engaged in the work of the Association for the Higher Religious Education, will return home Satur-

and Mrs. C. C. Shirley, Mrs. C. A. Dolman and Miss Mollie Klum, of Kokomo, are guests of Auditor of State Henderson and Mrs. M. H. Spades and children, who have

Miss Ada Klum, of Washington, D. C.,

been in Chicago since May, have returned to the city to remain a few weeks before going to St. Augustine, Fla., to spend the Mr. W. H. Donley will give an organ re-

cital this evening, at the new College-avenue Baptist Church, to display the hand-some new organ. Mr. Donley will be assisted by Miss Anna McLaughlin in vocal

Mrs. H. Cohen entertained forty ladies very handsomely, Tuesday afternoon, with a card and sketching party. The house was exquisitely decorated with chrysanthemums of all colors, and beautiful prizes were awarded to the most successful player and

Miss Cordelia Todd, of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Boyd. Miss Todd is a musician who is not unknown to the musical world as a composer of merit. She sings and plays, and, in many instances, her own compositions. Miss Todd will return to her home in the South next week. The marriage is announced of Mr. William E. Barton, of this city, and Miss Minnie R. Luther, which took place Wednesday, at the home of the bride in Brazil. Mr. and Mrs. Barton will reside at No. 326 North Meridian street, where they will be at home to their friends after the 1st of

Mr. Carl H. Lieber had charge of the entertainment of the Portfolio Club last evenng, and he arranged an exhibit of etchings. The pictures were from the studies of some of the prominent artists of the day and others were the work of those less celebrated. The committee on entertainment included Mrs. Mary E. Steele, Mrs. Janet K. Hibben and Mr. Bruce Rogers.

The ice-cream booth will be known as the "Fra Diavolo," and sunny Italy, with all its warmth of color, will be peopled with the most charming of ladies. The Flower Mission has received donations from Red Bud, and from the Association of Florists tickets for the nurses of the training school to attend the chrysanthemum show. For all favors the members of the mission are very grateful. "Carmen" will be represented in the li-

brary booth at the Flower Mission fair, next week, and the costumes and colors will be entirely Spanish. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dunn have charge of the booth, which insures its success. Lamps and shades will be the specialty, and Thursday afternoon and evening Mrs. J. A. Milburn will read character in handwriting. The members of the library booth will issue a publication during the fair which will be known as the "Perennial."

Los Angeles Times: One of the beautiful November receptions occurred yesterday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, at No. 221 South Olive street. It was given by Mrs. O. T. Johnson, who, in company with her husband, has just returned from an extended trip East, much of the time during the past four months having been spent in the vicinity of Chicago and Boston. Its purpose was to introduce Mrs. Fred J. Johnson and their friends, Mrs. Charles E. Kregelo and daughter and Mrs. Bingham, from Indianapolis, Ind., who have recently come to make their home in our midst.

BARTON-LUTHER. Special to the Indianapolis Journal, BRAZIL, Ind., Nov. 9.-Last night at the residence of Mr. Peter T. Luther, were united in marriage Miss Minnie Luther and Mr. William Barton, Rev. Charles Gavisk, of Indianapolis, officiating. Only a few of the relatives and intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Barton were present. The bridal party entered the spacious parkers to the strain of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Olive Carter. The attendants were Dr. L. F. Page, of Indianapolis, and Miss Annie O'Neall, of Washington, Ind. The bride is a lady of unusual at-tainments. Mr. Barton is in business in Indianapolis, and is a son of the late Dr. G. G. Barton, of Washington, Ind. couple left for Indianapolis last night, where they will take up their future casidence. Mrs. Ellen Barton of Washington, Miss Cora Davis of Terre Haute, Miss Eva Crist of Coffee, Ind., Miss Annie O'Neall and Dr. L. F. Page of Indianapolis were among the guests.

The executive board of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Society will have an "at home" on Saturday afternoon, at the new school building on Margaret street, opposite the City Hospital. All the departments of the school will be in session. It is hoped that all who are interested in this work will give them a call.

FLOWERS FEAST

Great Crowds Attend the Chrysanthemum Show.

Orchids and Roses-Papers Read Before the Horticultural Society Yesterday.

The Society of Indiana Florists has been

most fortunate, this season, in having fine weather for its annual fall exhibit and the crowds which fill the hall early and late are appreciative of the beautiful display which the florists have provided. The roses which were brought in yesterday by Mr. J. S. Stuart, of Anderson, were very fine and they were well placed in a conspicuous position near the orchid booth. They were a varied collection and were admired by every one who entered the hall. The special awards yesterlay were for floral emblems. The first was a prize of \$15 offered by the New York store and was given to Mr. Henry Rieman for a large Grecian vase made of roses and other fine blooms. The second was the theatrical prize given by Hoyt & Thomas, of the "Texas Steer," and Dickson & Talbott. It was the design of a Texas steer and was made of immortelles. The award was given to Mrs. Charles Rieman. There was a very large attendance of strangers and all the cities in the neighborhood were represented. The sale of cut flowers at the flower booth was so unexpectedly large that the supply gave out on Tuesday, Wednesday and yesterday. The attendance Wednesday afternoon and evening was over 1,100. To-day there will be a fresh supply of roses from the famous rose grower, E. H. Hunt, of Terre Haute, and a prize will be awarded for an emblem made by the committee. There will be a special lot of flowers for sale and to-morrow every flower in the place will be for

Some of those who have given the prizes have been given the privilege of naming the flowers. The handsome red seedling was called "Miss Nellie Elverson" and the pink, "Mrs. E. H. Hunt." Two others remain to be named.

The magnificent twenty blooms on long stems which took the John F. Miller prize, a fine Rookwood vase, will be sent by Mr. Miller to some of his friends in Pittsburg and arrangements have been made for them to go by express early Saturday morning The formal exhibit lasts through this evening; to- morrow the sale of all the plants will be conducted and the admission will be

The ladies of Roberts Park Church will serve luncheon to-day and ice cream, cake and coffee at all hours day and evening. Their tables in the corridors have been most generously patronized by the visitors. The fruit exhibit in the west corridor has the usual display of large fruits and they are arranged with taste.

#### HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Topics Considered Yesterday-Prof. Underwood on Edible Fungi. The Indiana Society of Horticulturists resumed their session yesterday morning and continued throughout the day. The morning was devoted to the reading of papers and discussions and at noon the soclety adjourned to visit the monument. An hour was spent on the top of the structure. Directly after dinner the "question box" was opened and a large number of gueries were disposed of. This portion of the programme was received with much interest and proved highly instructive to those engaged in fruit culture. During the day a half dozen papers were read of an unusually entertaining order. Among the most interesting was the "Observations on a Recent Trip to the Pacific Coast," by J. B. Burris, of Cloverdale; "Why I Am a Horticulturist," by W. W. Farnsworth, of Waterville, O.; "Fruit Lands of Southern In-diana," by Amos W. Butler, of Brookville; 'Plant Trees," by James P. Applegate, of New Albany, and "Spraying as a Means of Protecting Fruit," by James Troop, Purdue University. Lucien M. Underwood, of De

Pauw University, contributed an entirely

new idea and one which created lengthy

discussion, under the title of "Edible

Fungi." Of this peculiar vegetable growth, Professor Underwood selected three groups to be considered. First, those commonly known in Indiana. as the "common mushroom," but elsewhere known as the morel. These develop usually in May and are considered the most valuable as an article of food. They have the flavor of oysters and may be cooked like them, stewed, fried, scalloped or stuffed with a force meat and baked. No forms resembling these morels are poisonous. Second, the puff balls. These vary from a half inch to a foot or more in diameter. While all are edible, the larger ones have the better flavor. They are only suitable for food when pure white within. The spongy base and the rind are rejected, while the white inner portion is sliced, dipped in beaten eggs and fried. No forms likely to be mistaken puffbalis are gill-fungi of which the field agaric or fall mushroom is best known and the most common. This is very abundant in the early autumn after the fall rains. The "ink caps" of two species are nearly as valuable for food. These are common in low rich grounds. Probably a thousand or more species of gill-fungi are known from America. Many of these are too small to be considered as food, and many lack flavor. Perhaps 4 per cent. are either poisonous or are suspected. Probably one hundred or more are edible. The edible and poisonous fungi are as easily distinguished from each other as beans and barley. English speaking people are the most backward in using fungi for food. French, Italians, Germans, Russians, Chinese, etc., use them largely for food, but most of our countrymen let them rot in the fields. The production of edible fungi in Indiana for the months of May and October was estimated to be more in weight and nutritious than all the meat sold in the State during the same period. Tons and tons of valuable food go for naught every

## nutritious as sirloin. The paper was illustrated with dry and alcoholic specimens. TANNER APPOINTED.

year-food as luscious as the oyster and as

He Will Accept and Readjust His Business to Comply with the Law.

The announcement came by wire from Washington yesterday afternoon that Secretary Carlisle had appointed George G. Tanner surveyor of customs at this point, thus ending the agony of the various Democratic factions that have been howling for it. Mr. Tanner will assume his duties as soon as he can file his bond and perfect some readjustments of his private business affairs. He will retire from active participation in the management of the firm of Tanner & Sullivan and in order that he may comply with the law governing appointments in the department the firm will give up the importation of tin plate, handling only the American product. "The law was a new thing to me," said Mr. Tanner yesterday, "but I had already given my promise to accept the position and could not well go back upon it. I have thoroughly looked into it, however, and shall comply with it fully. And what's more, I'm very glad the law was sprung upon me now in-

# stead of later."

More Room Wanted. Captain Silas Shepherd, president of the Marion County Bar Association, called on the County Commissioners yesterday morning and asked them for a larger room for the law library in the courthouse. For several years this library has been packed beyond its capacity, and on account of its crowded condition has been an eyesore to the association. The commissioners gave them the large room opposite the Criminal Court room, which will be found much more available. It will furnish sufficient space for attorneys to be seated at writing tables and will give them plenty of room to file away their feet in legal if not regal

# Carries His Interview with Him.

Johnstown, Pa., who is at present stopping at the Grand, is the deviser of a rather novel plan for the accommodation of inquisitive news gatherers as well as the curious American public in general. For a long time after the Johnstown disaster, and in fact to the present day, Mr. Cox is asked about the flood, and for a time was reasonably generous in dispensing what he knew | get it for you.

about the catastrophe, but at last the task of telling his story over became very tiresome, and finally he came to be literally bored to death, and devised a means of avoiding further trouble and at the same time obliging all who asked him questions. He soon got the general run of queries by rote, and carefully boiling them down to three questions. The first was, "Are you from Johnstown?" the second, "Were you there that day?" and the third was, "What and after having the matter printed on a card it was no trouble to hand one out whenever he was tackled.

# IS PURSUED BY FATE

Jasper Obanion's Last Dose of Malignant Ill-Fortune.

Held to the Grand Jury for Assault-Has Had a Rough and Rocky Road Through Life.

Jasper Obanion, a well-to-do contractor who lives on Alvord street, was brought into Police Court, yesterday, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill John house for the purpose of collecting a bill for \$20, which he claims was due him for plastering houses of Obanion's, and, according to Obanion's testimony, after differing about it, Pruitt charged with a knife and received a blow from a pitchfork for his trouble. Dr. Ball, who treated Pruitt's wounds, testified that the sight of his left eye was probably destroyed. Obanion said that he had previously given Pruitt to understand that he would not pay the bill, as rendered, and that he was forced to use the pitchfork in self-defense. Obanion's career goes to show what hard luck is, and how a man may be pursued by it throughout the greater portion of his life. When a young man he married in Hancock county, and was happy for a brief period when "things began to go against him." He had hard a year. When a man is needed in any of luck on the little farm he undertook to cul- the departments a requisition is made on tivate. His stock died-even his barnyard fowls either died or mysteriously disappeared, and his horses were the receptacles of every maliferous malady that chose to wander through Hancock county, and they were an unbroken procession. Obanion often urged against practical logic, perhaps, that it took a horse of his only ten days to contract a case of bone spavin of ten years' standing. His wife died, and he, through a series of ill happenings, came to be considered as a thriftless fellow. Not altogether daunted, but with a colossal courage that deserved much, he married again, and again made an attack upon agriculture over on the yellow, sandy, sterile, unproductive banks of Sugar creek, where he began a crusade against starvation, fighting on and on until the clapboards curled up in the sun and rain and fell off his barn, and sheds, and dwelling house. Jasper split pickets and corralled a small patch of earth and planted a garden, but the pickets soon became agonized with rain, and simply sat down to their work of keeping what few chickens were left out of the place. Jasper gave up and moved down into a wetter and more agueish part of the county, where he would sit on his front steps and have a chill every third day, regardless of Sunday or legal holidays. Then a fair season came by, and he bought a buggy, harnessed his horse to it and began o think about better times and an organ for his children, but such future was soon blighted. A number of friends came down on him the following winter, with a protracted visit, that soon left nothing in the upboard, which had been plentifully stuffed for cold weather. In the spring he moved to this city, and went to work, a man with a large family, to learn the carpenter's trade, and it took him three years to do it, but he did it, and on wages that would scare a weed inspector to death; but finally he prospered in deed and in truth, and began contracting. He has for years past been building good homes in this city on very small margins, and has a neat little surplus of lands and money, besides his home on Alvord

# QUAILS WILL SUFFER TO-DAY.

street. This last ill fortune, where it seems

he was forced to mow a man out of his

way with a pitchfork, is probably the reap-

pearance of his old luck. Judge Stubbs sent

the matter to the grand jury for investiga-

General Exodus of Hunters to the Rural Districts.

Bob White is anybody's meat to-day-that is, anybody who is quick enough on the trigger to catch the lively little bunch of brown feathers as it darts out of weeds, grass or sedge. The law that has covered Mr. and Mrs. Quail and their brood with its protecting wing for over ten months, was lifted last midnight, and to-day the birds are being hunted like outlaws. Last night's trains carried many local sportsmen to places where quail are said to abound, and the early riser this morning saw numguns, moving countryward. The birds are very scarce in Marion county this year and the sportsman who fills his bag will be for-

# EPIDEMIC OF SUICIDES.

Unhappy Women Anxious to End Their Existence.

Dora Robbins, aged twenty-two years, living apart from her husband and weary of the futile attempts to retain the affections of a fickle lover, took a heavy dose of morphine yesterday at noon and died at 11 o'clock last night in her room, No. 3321/2 East Washington street. Her husband's name is McDonald. He is employed at the livery barn of Horace Woods. The couple separated three weeks ago, after a stormy married life of fourteen months, After she had taken the drug the dispensary physicians were called and worked with the girl several hours in the hope of saving her

Made Two Attempts.

Sadie Sprague, occupying apartments at No. 2871/2 East Washington street, made two unsuccessful attempts at suicide yesterday. In both cases the prompt work of Dr. Gregg met with good results. The girl is about twenty-three years old and good looking. Her home is at Columbus, O., and she was preparing to return to her parents when she was attacked with despondency over some act of her lover.

Took Chloroform and Morphine. & Hattie Middaugh, aged twenty-five, living at No. 841 West Morris street, while suffering from mental troubles yesterday, took half an ounce of chloroform and several grains of morphine. Her condition was discovered in time to summon the City Dispensary physicians. She will recover.

# CITY NEWS NOTES.

A young man named Charles Logan was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of Mrs. Annie Hall, of No. 79 Kentucky avenue, who charged that the prisoner had stolen from her a gold watch. He was Marriage licenses were issued yesterday

to George C. Fisher and Luella Wilson, Iram Dawson and Ruthle Perry, Charles Kistner and Charlotte Schultz, John Breeding and Laura Clarke, Frank P. Grundy and Nancy Twyman. Articles of association filed with the Secretary of State, yesterday, were as follows: Farmers' Natural Gas and Oil Company, of

Lawrence township, Marion county, capi-tal stock, \$12,000; the International Land Title Insurance and Loan Company, of Evansville, capital stock, \$100,000. Howard Briggs, of Greencastle, was in the city last evening on his way to Chicago, where he had been summoned by a telegram announcing the death of his son, John P. Briggs. Deceased was in the twentyfifth year of his age, and was employed on the Chicago Mail. His body will be taken

# A Surgical Operation

to Greencastle for interment.

Fred W. Cox, an iron and steel man of For the Cure of Piles is always painful, often dangerous and useless, and invariably expensive; on the other hand there is a new certain cure, perfectly painless, gives instant relief and permanent cure and costs but a trifle. It is the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is a more certain cure than a surgical operation, without any of the intense pain, expease and danger of an operation. Any druggist will

# NOW FOR THE RULES

Mayor Denny Studying Boston's Civil-Service Regulations.

did they do with that dam?" To each of these he wrote a full and complete answer, He Also Asks for an Opinion on the Belt Bonds-All the Various Boards Hold Meetings.

Mayor Denny yesterday received the re-

ports of the civil-service commission that

regulates the employment of men in the

public service of Massachusetts cities. He has given careful attention to the regulations in New York, but finds nothing that would be of great advantage to Indianapolis. The Massachusetts regulations contain a number of features, however, that could be well applied to the local municipal service. They will be considered at the Mayor's next cabinet meeting. The report of the commission in Boston shows that out of the 2.034 men certified for labor, 1,253 were given employment. The commission says that where examinations were required the commission has tried to keep the examinations free Pruitt, who lives at 222 Yandes street. It | from pedantry, applying common-sense developed that Pruitt had gone to Obanion's | tests. The regulations are the direct result of legislative enactment, and apply to all the large cities of the State, covering almost every branch of public service, from clerkships down to the public school janitors. As before stated in the Journal, the old soldiers are given the preference in the selection of men. The commissioners in each city are appointed by the Governor. No recommendation by Representatives or other men in influential positions are allowed to be considered, and no one is allowed to solicit or give money for political purposes in any of the department buildings. In this respect the rules are somewhat similar to those of the government at Washington. Two grades for applicants are established, one for clarks and one for men who do manual labor. No person is eligible for appointment in either grade unless he has been a resident of the State over a year, and his name is not allowed to remain on the eligible list over the commissioners and they furnish two names. Promotion is made in regular order. The police and firemen have to pass a very strict physical examination. It is a question how far the Massachusetts regulations can be applied to Indianapolis and keep within the law. They can certainly be applied to the employment of men on the street, and in this serve to keep the street commissioner's department from becoming a political machine, as it was under the late Sullivan regime.

# WILL STOP THE PIRATES.

Board of Health Will Enforce the City Garbage Ordinance. The Board of Health, last night, backed by an opinion from City Attorney Scott, ordered the officers to stop the further hauling of garbage by persons not authorized by contract from the city. The board being responsible to a certain extent for violations of the same, it will take prompt action in the prosecution of cases after this date. The board was of the opinion that persons not paying the required li cense were as liable to punishment in this as in other violations of the law, and, pending the decision of the case appealed from the Police Court to the Criminal Court, the board will stand by the ordinance as indi-

The board deferred action on the two bills presented by the City Dispensary and hospital which the controller refused to pay until the city attorney could be consulted The bill from the dispensary was for uniforms, and from the hospital for the planting of trees on the grounds.

## THOSE BELT BONDS.

The Mayor Asks City Attorney Scott for an Opinion on Them.

The Mayor yesterday asked City Attorney Scott to give an opinion on the Belt and Union railway bonds as to whether they can be considered a part of the city's indebtedness. Mr. Scott has been busy with federal court matters, but will give the matter

"We have a leeway of \$165,000," said the Mayor yesterday, "and I do not think it is of vital importance just now to know whether or not the Belt bonds are to be included in the city's indebtedness, with the 2-per-cent. limit in view. I do not think we will have occasion to issue permanent bonds, even if we have the right to go in debt \$500,000 more. Of course we cannot make any temporary loans until we have paid off those now out. Our plan to raise \$75,000 by special license tax, I think, will enable us to do away with this floating indebtedness within the next few years.'

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT DISCIPLINE. Board of Safety Holds a Conference

with Chief Webster. The Board of Public Safety held a special meeting last night for consultation with Chief Webster, of the fire department. The time was devoted to a discussion of the discipline of the fire force and of the running expenses. On the first point Chief Webster was assured that all the board asked of him was thorough discipline and increased efficiency in the force, and that it would in no wise seek to interfere with the proper working of the force by making removals or appointments for political reasons. A request was also made for more careful and, if necessary, slower driving through the streets. In the matter of purchasing supplies, the Chief was told that expenses must be held

# THE CONTRACTOR'S CLAIM.

Mr. Kennington Claims He Is Not Re-

down to the lowest possible notch.

sponsible for a Bad Pavement. The Board of Works met yesterday morning and allowed bills. It also held a session in the afternon. Contractor Kennington appeared before the board and claimed that he was not responsible for the bad condition of the new brick pavement on Madison avenue. He says that a number of property owners cut into the pavement and after replacing the brick failed to flush the dirt underneath, thus causing the pavement to settle and make chuck holes. The board will investigate. The board considered several appointments yet to be made, but gave out no names.

#### ELECTION OFFICERS' PAY. They Will Get It To-Day-Amounts

Allowed Them.

A sign was hung up in Controller Trusler's office yesterday morning stating that election officers could get their pay to-day. The warrants are nearly all made out. In

a number of cases the precinct committeemen have failed to make the proper returns, and the officers in these precincts cannot get their pay until the proper returns are in. The inspectors are allowed three days each and the other officers one day each. If the officers refuse to take the amount allowed them they will have to sue. The money is in the city treasury with which to pay the warrants. Didn't Take the Barrett Law. Several people have come into the Controller's office recently with complaints that

#### they did not know that the thirty days had expired on the improvements in front of their property. They intended to take advantage of the Barrett law, but found that the time had expired and they would have to pay cash. They claim they did not

see the notice in the daily paper. One man yesterday almost begged the Controller to

prevail on the asphalt company to let him pay according to the Barrett law.

Daily Building Permits.

Bullding permits were issued yesterday as follows: J. T. Polk, two-story frame, No. 325 East Seventh street, \$1,950. Christina Haug, cottage, No. 14 North Summit street, \$1,700. Edward Harris, four frame cottages on North and Douglass streets, \$1,400.

# H. E. Hurshman, frame dwelling, No. 80 Springfield street, \$700. Federal Court Jury.

The circuit jury was impaneled in the federal court yesterday and one case disposed of. In the suit of S. M. McMichael, of Ontario, Canada, against Marcus M. Towel, of Hammond, the jury made a verdict for the plaintiff, awarding judgment for the sum of \$2,367.

Charged with Assault. A. J. Beeler, the proprietor of a butter-

AMUSEMENTS. Grand-"A Texas Steer." People are laughing harder than ever at

rested yesterday, with two of his men, Lot

Gundrum and Joe Kieth, on the charge of

assault and battery. The three became involved in a row, and Beeler knocked down the two men. Kieth sprang to his feet and

drew a knife, but was prevented from using

deadly weapon was placed against him.

The additional charge of drawing a

Hoyt's "A Texas Steer. This, one of the cleverest of the many clever burlesques from the floridly fertile brain of Charley Hoyt-a feeble and useless compliment to one so well known-opened last night to the largest first-night audience seen at the Grand this season. From the first entrance of Tim Murphy, whose part as the Texas Cattle King Congressman is so well done, till the curtain fell on the uproariously funny and vindicating huzzahs of the "paralyzed" investigating committee in the last act, the enthusiasm was unshackled. Brazen, but shrewdly calculating, blustering, unquenchable Brassy Gall, by Newton Chisnell, never ceases to command applause. Mr. Brassy Gall is still lobbying for the Texas Congressman, incidentally enjoying the best wine and cigars of the capital at the expense of the unsophisticated dupe. It may be said he earns his salary. Will H. Bray's caricature of the colored statesman in search of the appointment as minister to Dahomey, and then comes down to the office of waste-basket supervisor at the Capitol, is a fair take-off on the vicissitudes of office seeking. Miss Alice Evans, as little Bossy was very pleasing in her part, and by many was regarded as a wortny successor to the late Flora Walsh, Mr. Hoyt's wife, who created the part in the original cast. Charles Stanley, as Major Yell, leader of the investigating committee, is a furious Texas terror. The minor parts are in the hands of competent people, and do the production credit. The "Steer" will continue to cavort at the Grand the rest of the week.

#### amusement Notes.

The repertoire for Robert Mantell's engagement at the Grand the latter part of next week has been announced as follows: Thursday evening and Saturday matinee, "Monbars;" Friday night, "Parrhassius" (new); Saturday night, "Face in the Moonlight." In Mr. Mantell's company are Miss Charlotte Behrens, a well-known leading woman, and Miss Katherine Kerrigan, a beautiful young woman, whose home is New Albany, Ind. In the new "Devil's Auction," which is underlined for presentation at English's next Monday and Tuesday evenings, there are nine ballets and a series of gorgeous

pany of fifty people present it. Arrested for Child Stealing. Patrolmen McClellan and Crane last night arrested Melvin McPherson, against whom the charge of child stealing is pending. McPherson has been separated from his wife for some time, and their child was placed in the Orphans' Home. Last Octo-ber the father got possession of the infaht, and has since had it secreted. The mother

scenes and transformations. The piece, in

its new form, is one of the most brilliant

spectacles ever put on the stage. A com-

resides at No. 80 North Mississippi street. Chairman Gowdy in the City. Chairman John K. Gowdy, of the Republican State central committee, was in the city yesterday. He thinks the Republican party would have carried the State by 20,000 if an election had been held here this fall. He says the reorganization of the committee will take place on Jan. 10. Mr. Gowdy

#### elected to the position. Gump Created a Scene.

will accept the chairmanship again if he is

Charles Gump, a driver employed by Shad, the fish dealer, went to his home at No. 173 South East street, intoxicated, last night, and found his wife in the company of a neighbor, Mrs. Gardner. The husband drew his revolver with a flourish. The women screamed and Gump fired. Both women can from the house. The police are looking for Gump.

Saloon Keeper Cline Released.

Judge Stubbs has released William Cline, the Massachusetts-avenue saloon keeper who was sent to the workhouse for violating the 11-o'clock law. Cline served eight hours at the county institution. His friends showed the Judge that he has not been a habitual violater of the law and that his wife is ill.

Two Box Cars Burn. Two box cars in the Panhandle yards canght fire about 11 o'clock last night, and for half an hour caused a hot blaze. The wrecking crew was called out and saved other property that was in danger of burn-

# TOO COLD FOR RACING.

Neither Directum nor Flying Jib Able to Lower Their Records.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 9 .- Raw, cold weather prevented any record breaking at Charter Oak Park to-day. Fully 2,500 people were on hand to witness Directum go against his record and other events of importance. The afternoon's sport opened | with a local race between trotters of the 2:30 class. There were but three starters-John E. Jefferson, Minnie T. and Lochinvar. The latter was ruled off because of the refusal of his driver to carry weights. Minnie T. won handily, taking three straight in 2:34%, 2:33% and 2:33%.

The race between Warren and Flying Jib was next on the programme, but the wheelman did not appear, and the pacer was sent a mile with a running mate to lower his record of 2:04. John Kelly held the reins over the gelding and pushed him a little. The mile was made in 2:06%, however, equaling the track record held by Johnston, the pacer.

Then came the event of the day-Directum's trial for a new record. He was driven by Kelly, and was in fine shape. As with Flying Jib, however, the weather proved too much for him, 2:08 being the best he could do with a running mate. The wind had freshened a little, and the conditions were not as favorable as Flying Jib had experienced. The time by quarters was :3214, 1:0312, 1:36, 2:08, which equals the time of Nancy Hanks at Springfield this A. W. Warren, of this city, with a rec-

ord of 2:06, who was to race against Flying Jib, arrived at the track at this juncture and was immediately put up against the pacer. P. B. Arnold, of New Britain, and Clark and McDuffy, of Boston, paced Warren, on a tandem. He held his own with the horse to the three-quarter pole, where Flying Jib left him. The time was: Flying Jib, 2:10; Warren, 2:151/4. Sea King, the smallest trotter in the world, was then sent a mile to lower his record of 2:2114. He made the circuit in

A hot race between Charley C. and Little Albert, of the Salisbury string, and Klick Klock, owned by Allen Risk, was the last event of the day. Klick Klock won the first heat in 2:14%, breaking her record of 2:151/2, and took the second heat also in 2:19%, with Little Albert second.

Trotting in Kentucky. DANVILLE, Ky., Nov. 9 .- To-day's race results follow:

Free-for-all trot-Delegate first, Chlorine second, Billy Wilkes third. Best time, 2:191/2. 2:25 trot-Urusala first, Blue Knight second, K. K. McGregor third. Best time, 2:30 trot-Tuberose, first, Rose S. second. Brown Jim third. Best time, 2:31. Clementine, by C. F. Clay, trotted in 2:29% and Lady Mont, by King Almont, in

Nothing but Common Criminals. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9 .- The five Russian convicts who were picked up by the

whaler Morgan in the Okhotsk sea and brought to this port prove not to be political criminals as at first reported. One man was sentenced for passing counterfeit money; one was sentenced for striking a Russian army officer; two others murdered a soldler and the fifth killed a citizen. One exile is a Russian, another a Pole and three others Tartars. The refugees landed from the whaler and so far have not been taken into custody. The whaler, Cape Horn Pigeon, bearing five other refugees, is now due at

#### Boxer McCoy Drowned. NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 9.-Peter

McCoy, the well-known boxer, who, for a number of years, was with John L. Sullivan's combination, was drowned, while on his way to this port on the tug Scranton, from New York, It is said that McCoy accidentally fell overboard. Captain Mc-Nulty, of the tug, says that just before the accident McCoy was in his cabin and left to go on deck. The tug cruised around for some time, but no trace of the body could be found. McCoy was on his storage house on West Pearl street, was ar- | way to Boston to join his wife.

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## TREASURY STATEMENT.

Monthly Statement for October, 1893, showing the balance in the State Treasury October 1, 1893, the Receipts and Disbursements for October, the balances in the various funds, and the balance on hand at the close of business October 31, 1893, as appears from the records in the offices of Auditor and

Balance in Treasury Oct. 1, 1893 ..... \$635,083.13 

Balance in Treasury Oct. 31, 1893 ... \$372,637.75 BALANCE BY FUNDS. General Fund......\$187,328.77 Soldiers' and Sailors' Mon-School Revenue Fund for 91,174.87 Tuition..... 14,028.82 College Fund, principal... College Fund, interest.... Per. End. Fund, Indiana University.... Per. End. Fund, Indiana University, interest..... Sale State Lands... 7,940.23 Sale University and College Fund Lands..... Unclaimed Estates ..... Escheated Estates.....

Swamp Land Fund .

State Sinking Fund.

Common School Fund ...

Excess Bids Sinking Fund 2,023.25 Surplus Revenue Fund.... 500.00 ALBERT GALL, Treasurer of State.

13,525.45

#### J. O. HENDERSON, Auditor of State. RESCUED IN MIDOCEAN.

Three Senmen Saved After Great Suffering and Bodily Torture.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 9.-Three shipwrecked seamen from the abandoned Spanish bark Juan J. Murga arrived in port last evening in the schooner Henry Lippitt from Turk's island. The rescued mariners are Antonio Crimen, Logi Peris and Pedro Nagloles. They were picked up in midocean after undergoing suffering that almost made them crazy. They had seen seven of their comrades perish. The remaining two were taken off this vessel by the steamer Lampasas and landed at Galveston Oct. 19. The Murga was caught in a terrible northeast hurricane on Oct. 9. The crew took to the rigging, where they firmly lashed themselves. The provisions were washed overboard with the water casks, leaving nothing by which the men could quench their thirst or satisfy their hunger. The cargo swelled and burst the decks asunder. Ten of the crew then took to the longboat, while two of the men remained on the bark in preference to going on the overcrowded boat, and were thereby saved. The boat in which the men embarked had barely got away from the wrecked vessel when she was capsized. Seven of the men struggled for a short time in the raging sea and then sank from sight, while the other three managed to get rid of their heavy clothes and swam for a small boat which was drifting close by. After three days of suffering they were finally rescued by the Lippitt. Their suffering while adrift from hunger and thirst is indescribable. Being entirely nude, with the exception of a part of a shirt which one of them wore, the sun's rays almost baked them, and their skin peeled off in

Movements of Steamers. LONDON, Nov. 9. - Sighted: Columbia, from New York, for Hamburg. QUEENSTOWN, Nov. 9.-Arrived: Ger-mania, from New York. NEW YORK, Nov. 9 .- Arrived: Britannic, from Southampton.

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